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SUBJECT: PSI: FRANCARE REMAINS NONCOMMITTAL; SHRINKING LEGAL OPTIONS (S)

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[1](#)B. PARIS 01311

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Classified By: EST COUNSELOR ROBERT W. DRY FOR REASONS 1.4 (B), (D), AND (H).

[1](#)1. (S) On 16 March 2005, EST officer met with David Bertolotti, MFA Deputy Director of Disarmament and Nuclear Nonproliferation regarding Bertolotti described the 14 March meeting between French officials and the manager of Francare, purpose of which was to convince the manager. The manager also noted that his volume of business with the U.S. is low, and that any possible action taken by the U.S. Government barring Fr

[1](#)2. (S) Bertolotti informed EST officer that French authorities would again visit with Francare's manager at the end of the week, and at that Bertolotti hoped to have more information on this point to pass to EST officer following an interagency meeting this afternoon.
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